

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Cancelled)

2. (Currently Amended) The loudspeaker according to ~~claim 1~~claim 5, wherein the diaphragm is formed of resin.

3. (Currently Amended) The loudspeaker according to ~~claim 1~~claim 5, wherein the first edge and the second edge are formed in a semicircular roll shape, respectively, and the roll of the first edge extends downward and the roll of the second edge extends upward.

4. (Currently Amended) The loudspeaker according to ~~claim 1~~claim 5, wherein the first edge and the second edge are formed in a semicircular roll shape, respectively, and the roll of the first edge extends upward and the roll of the second edge extends downward.

5. (Currently Amended) A loudspeaker comprising:

a magnetic circuit having an annular magnetic gap;

a frame coupled to the magnetic circuit;

a voice coil movably fitted into the magnetic gap; and

a diaphragm coupled to the frame at its periphery via a first edge, the diaphragm including an engaging portion integrally formed with the diaphragm, the engaging portion extending in a substantially perpendicular direction from a rear surface of the diaphragm; and

~~wherein~~ a suspension holder extending downward from a middle portion between an inner periphery and an outer periphery on ~~a~~ the rear surface of the ~~diaphragm~~ diaphragm, ~~the suspension holder being~~ is integrated with the diaphragm

via a coupling portion which engages the engaging ~~portion; and~~portion.

wherein the periphery of the suspension holder is coupled to the frame via a second edge that is symmetric and similar to the first edge.

6. (Currently Amended) A method for manufacturing a loudspeaker comprising a magnetic circuit having an annular magnetic gap; a frame coupled to the magnetic circuit; a voice coil movably fitted into the magnetic gap; and a diaphragm having an engaging portion, wherein a suspension holder extending downward from a middle portion between an inner periphery and an outer periphery on a rear surface of the diaphragm is integrated with the diaphragm via a coupling portion which engages the engaging portion,

the method comprising the steps of:

integrally molding the diaphragm and the engaging portion such that the engaging portion extends in a substantially perpendicular direction from the rear surface of the diaphragm;

molding the suspension holder with resin;

coupling the coupling portion of the molded suspension holder to the engaging portion of the molded diaphragm;

coupling the molded diaphragm to the frame at its periphery via a first edge;
and

coupling the molded suspension holder to the frame via a second edge that is symmetric and similar to the first edge.

7. (Cancelled)

8. (Currently Amended) The loudspeaker according to ~~claim 1~~claim 5, wherein the suspension holder and the diaphragm are formed of a resin.

9. (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker according to claim 8, wherein the resin is polypropylene resin.

10. (New) The loudspeaker according to claim 5, wherein the engaging portion comprises a pair of annular projections extending from the rear surface of the diaphragm, the pair of annular projections defining an annular gap, the coupling portion of the suspension holder being positioned within the annular gap.